

**HARDING GOOD MAN,
WILSON'S AID SAYS**

Will Not Be Easy to Beat Republican Choice, Hitchcock Admits in Interview.

DEMOCRATS ARE NETTLED

They Had Hoped to Make Political Capital of Huge Campaign Fund.

Special to THE SUN AND NEW YORK HERALD. WASHINGTON, June 12.—Administration leaders, so far as they could be prevailed upon to speak at all, gave expression only to words of optimism after news of the nomination of Senator Harding was dashed here from Chicago. It was plain, nevertheless, that Administration hopes had been dashed by the nomination: that the selection of Harding had knocked every air of the Democratic calculations on what would happen, and that the situation now is exactly the reverse of what some Administration leaders had hoped for.

They had figured that the recent retortations regarding vast expenditures by some of the pre-convention candidates would provide excellent Democratic campaign material, but whatever gains they had along this line were glimmering with the Harding nomination. That the Administration realizes this was clearly indicated in the statement made by Senator Hitchcock, the President's spokesman for so many months in the League of Nations fight in the Senate, who readily admitted that Harding would not be easy to beat.

"Senator Harding is a colleague of mine," Senator Hitchcock said, "and a personal friend. I am glad to see him successful in his own party."

**Vote of the New York Delegates on
Republican Nomination for President**

By a Staff Correspondent of THE SUN AND NEW YORK HERALD.

CHICAGO, June 12.—Subjoined is a record of the New York vote for the nomination for the Presidency on the ten ballots:

Nominee	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th
Wood	19	19	23	28	24	22	24	23	5	6
Lawden	2	16	26	32	42	44	45	45	4	3
Johnson	65	3	5	5	3	3	3	2	2	2
Butler	2	3	3	5	5	5	3	4	6	4
Coolidge	2	2	2	2	5	5	8	8	66	68
Harding	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	4	4
Hoover	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	4	4
Peindexter	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Lemont	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
W.L. Ward					1	2	1			

not saying that he is going to be an easy man to beat by any means. Senator Harding, I believe, fits the Republican platform of it were made for him. I do not think he is the weakest man the Republicans could have nominated, nor do I think he is the strongest. He has elements of weakness and of strength.

Bainbridge Colby plainly was nettled. "Poor Harding!" said the new Secretary of State. "His idea of a foreign policy is to crawl into a hole and pull the hole in after him. His selection makes the hope, and the Democrats will win."

Senator Glass of Virginia professed to over the Harding nomination. "Harding," he said, "will be the easiest man they could have chosen for us to beat. Hoover, on the other hand, would have made it difficult for the Democratic party. Senator Glass, it has been announced, will go to the Democratic Convention as the representative of President Wilson."

"Harding is the worst representative they could have chosen," was the comment of Senator Pittman of Nevada. "They nominated a man who has preached reaction for the last two or three months, and who is absolutely subservient to the peculiar philosophy of big business."

Secretary of Commerce Alexander, another Administration favorite, had this to say: "Ohio is a pivotal State. Harding is not a bad selection from the Republican point of view. But the fact of the matter is that Ohio as a doubtful State will swing in another direction—to Gov. Cox."

Angus M. Loom, Democratic National Committee man from North Carolina, fell

**HOOVER CORDIALLY
GREET'S HARDING**

Sends Congratulations on His 'Great Opportunity.'

Herbert Hoover last night sent the following telegram to Senator Harding: "I hasten to tender you my most cordial, personal congratulations on your nomination and on the great opportunity which it affords you to interpret the desires of the American people."

MADDOO FLEES CONVENTION.

William Gibbs McAdoo is not going to attend the Democratic National Convention in San Francisco, he said yesterday upon his arrival in New York from a trip through the West. Mrs. McAdoo was with him.

The trip, Mr. McAdoo said, was of no political significance. He and Mrs. McAdoo will spend the summer in the East.

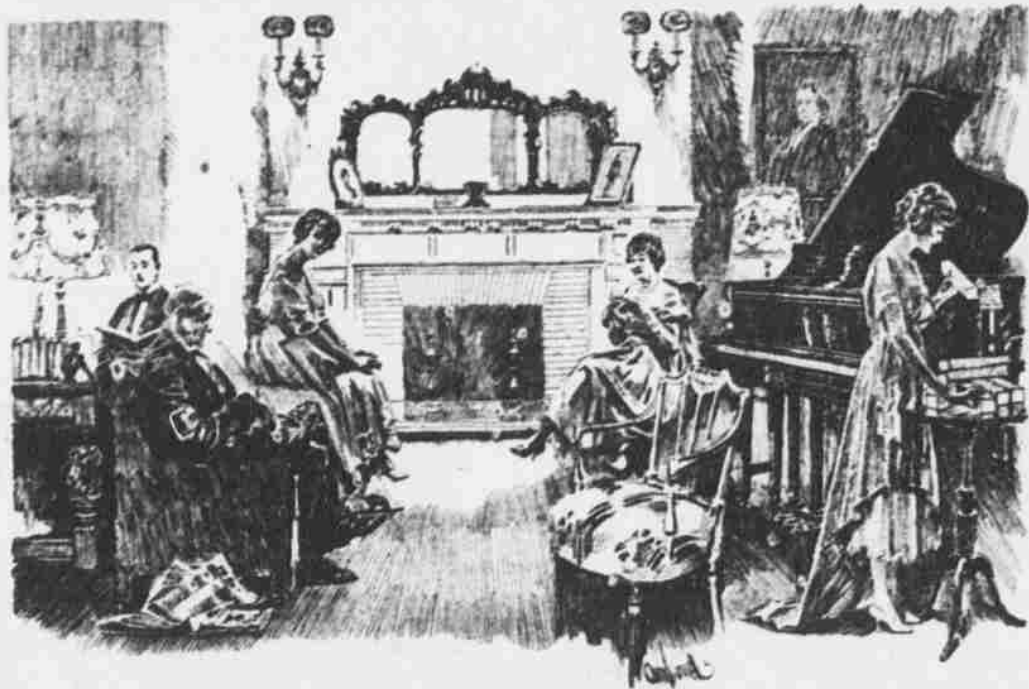
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